

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

The Senate met at 3:45:01 p.m. in pro forma session, and recessed at 3:45:32 p.m. until 11 a.m., on Thursday, October 27, 2011.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 13 public bills, H.R. 3241–3253; and 2 resolutions, H. Res. 445–446 were introduced. **Pages H7007–08**

Additional Cosponsors: **Pages H7008–09**

Report Filed: A report was filed today as follows:

H. Res. 444, providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 1904) to facilitate the efficient extraction of mineral resources in southeast Arizona by authorizing and directing an exchange of Federal and non-Federal land, and for other purposes (H. Rept. 112–258). **Page H7007**

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Smith (NE) to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H6989**

Chaplain: The prayer was offered by the guest chaplain, Reverend Avelino Gonzalez, Saint Joseph's Catholic Church, Washington, DC. **Page H6989**

Recess: The House recessed at 2:08 p.m. and reconvened at 4:15 p.m. **Page H6990**

Suspensions: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Kantishna Hills Renewable Energy Act of 2011: H.R. 441, amended, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to issue permits for a microhydro project in nonwilderness areas within the boundaries of Denali National Park and Preserve and to acquire land for Denali National Park and Preserve from Doyon Tourism, Inc.; **Pages H6990–91**

Agreed to amend the title so as to read: "To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to issue permits for microhydro projects in nonwilderness areas with-

in the boundaries of Denali National Park and Preserve, to acquire land for Denali National Park and Preserve from Doyon Tourism, Inc., and for other purposes." **Page H6991**

Amending the Hydrographic Services Improvement Act of 1998 to authorize funds to acquire hydrographic data and provide hydrographic services specific to the Arctic: H.R. 295, amended, to amend the Hydrographic Services Improvement Act of 1998 to authorize funds to acquire hydrographic data and provide hydrographic services specific to the Arctic for safe navigation, delineating the United States extended continental shelf, and the monitoring and description of coastal changes; **Pages H6991–92**

McKinney Lake National Fish Hatchery Conveyance Act: H.R. 1160, amended, to require the Secretary of the Interior to convey the McKinney Lake National Fish Hatchery to the State of North Carolina, by a 2/3 yeas-and-nays vote of 395 yeas with none voting "nay", Roll No. 802; **Pages H6992–94, H7003**

South Utah Valley Electric Conveyance Act: H.R. 461, amended, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey certain Federal features of the electric distribution system to the South Utah Valley Electric Service District; **Pages H6994–95**

Directing the Secretary of the Interior to allow for prepayment of repayment contracts between the United States and the Uintah Water Conservancy District: H.R. 818, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to allow for prepayment of repayment contracts between the United States and the Uintah Water Conservancy District; **Pages H6995–96**